Policemen (Transfer from Kanyakumari)

* 815 *Q.*—SRI T. S. RAMASWAMI : Will the Hon. the Minister for Home be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of Policemen transferred from Kanyakumari district and the districts to which they were transferred during this financial year;

(*b*) their scales of pay; and

(*c*) whether there is any circular to the effect that low-paid N.G.Os. should not ordinarily be transferred outside their native district?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (*a*) Twenty-six Head constables and 70 Police constables were transferred from Kanyakumari district to Madurai Urban, Madurai North, Ramanathapuram and Tirunelveli districts;

(*b*) The scale of pay of Head constables is Rs. 85—2—105, and that of Police constables is Rs. 65—1—70—2—90.

(*c*) No, Sir.

Policemen (Transfer from Andhra Pradesh)

* 816 *Q.*—SRI S. RANGANATHA MUDALIAR (on behalf of SRI K. VINAYAKAM) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Home be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that the police constables who were transferred from Andhra Pradesh to Madras State under Pataskar Award are paid at the scales of pay that were obtaining in Andhra Pradesh when they were transferred; and

(*b*) when do the Government propose to apply the revised scales of pay to them as recommended by the Madras Pay Commission?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (*a*) Yes, Sir.

(*b*) The Police constables transferred from Andhra Pradesh to this State under Pataskar Award, will be brought over to the Madras revised scale of pay, only after the equation of the posts and the integration of their services are determined by Government.

SRI V. K. RAMASWAMY MUDALIYAR : Is there much dis parity between the two scales of pay?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : Yes, Sir. There is some difference. This integration will be effected very soon.